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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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SERIAL NO: 10/511,609 :  
FILED: NOVEMBER 4, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2622  
FOR: RECORDING METHOD, :  
RECORDING APPARATUS, RECORDING  
MEDIUM, REPRODUCTION METHOD,  
REPRODUCTION APPARATUS AND  
IMAGE PICKUP APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 30, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.